THE EVENING STAR. WASHINGTON:

TURSDAY November 17, 1891. CROSBY S. NOYES Editor. THE EVENING STAR has a regular and

permanent circulation in Washington three times larger than that of any other paper in the city. As a local NEWS paper and Advertising Medium it has no competitor. The successor to Mr. Proctor in the cabinet will fall heir to an office that has been admirably conducted. Perhaps, too, he will receive as a legacy the fruits of the many reforms that the retiring minister has undertaken, reforms that have just begun to develop results in the

army, and that seem destined to grow into greater importance in the coming months. Few secretaries have ever accomplished more and better things during a peaceful administration than ex-Governor, ex-Secretary and now Senator Redfield Proctor, who, with a quiet and unassuming manner, has applied generous and humane common sense to the affairs of the army with results that must be lasting. The enlistment of Indians, the establishment of canteens at army posts, the removal of grievances and the reduction of desertions-these and many other successful measures make a good record.

Mr. Richard Croker, the Tammany boss, is credited with a determination to make, if pos-sible, Gov.-elect Flower the democratic candidate for President in 1892. It is even said that Mr. Flower's friends planned for such a thing last summer when they secured Mr. Cleveland's support for their man for the nomination to the governorship. This is not unexpected news. Long ago it was foreseen that if Mr. Flower could make his calling and election to Albany sure he would refurbish his former am- Rockers. bition to make sure his calling and election to the White House. It is a great thing to be elected governor of such a state as New York by 50,000 majority. Few democrats have accomplished the feat, and then they have done it under very peculiar conditions. Mr. Flower's boom is likely to collide with that of at least two other distinguished New Yorkers, but this may prove an advantage if they do not combine against him. The combination of Messrs. Cleveland and Hill is the combination of oil and water. Hence the friends of Mr. Flower argue that he has a fair field, some of the best of the workers on his side, and encouraging promise of success.

The New York Times again gives space to the imaginative Washington correspondent who discovered and exposed the corrupt conspiracy of the people of the District of Columbia to elect Mr. Crisp Speaker, upon which mare's nest THE STAR recently commented. In response to THE STAR's scoring of the slanderous feature of his ridiculous fabrication the correspondent, without defending his Munism, inquires what THE STAR would say if he should overhaul the "Boss Shepherd" period of the city, the relations of the newspapers to the "Boss" and their share in the "Boss's plunder." THE STAR would probably my that a slander of the present could not be helped out by reprinting decayed slanders of the past; that nobody of intelligence in Washington, not even among his former enemies, longer views A. R. Shepherd as the corrupt "Boss" that just such correspondents as the one under consideration once pictured him, and that the Times ought to be ashamed of itself to give space to a correspondent whose only defense of one slander upon this community is a threat to resurrect and print other calumnies.

Harvesting at night time is the latest proposition, the illumination being supplied by electricity. What will the hired man think of it? Under the present arrangement the farm hand, it is understood, arises from his bed at about 2:15 a.m. and returns thereto somewhere in the vicinity of 10 p.m., but this electrical proposition, if carried out, would seriously interfere with the hired man's rest. Of course the twenty-four hour arrangement would suit the farmer who desired to gather in and secure his crops while the weather was propitious, but what about the laborer? The provision of a distinct set of laborers for night work would settle the problem. Few farmers, however, would care to hire a force of men to work from 10 p.m. to 2:15 a.m., and it must be evident that the present staff could not lose much more sleep without cultivating insomnia. There are two sides to this question of making hay while the arc-light shines.

The two parties, one supreme in the Senate, the other in the House, should not in their desire for advantage in the presidential campaign of next year lose sight of one very important thing: Certain legislation is indispensable for the good of the whole country, and the people, without regard to party, want this legislation enacted without much concern as to its effect on the fortunes of parties. Measures of great public utility should not be so wrapped up in the schemes of party caucuses as to affect their

The French chamber of deputies having approved the tariff of 25 francs on salted meats as fixed by the senate the question of the readmission into France of American pork is decided more or less in our favor. The probibitive measure of 1881 will be repealed as soon as the new tariff act goes into effect, which will be in a few weeks, or as soon as the new tariff law is proclaimed. The apparently high rate of duty is better than total exclusion, and there is hope that a lower rate will be secured before

Minister Batcheller said in THE STAR on Saturday that there was not much of a republican sentiment in Portugal. At the Lisbon election, the next day, the republican ticket was overwhelmingly slaughtered. Mr. Batcheller seems to have kept his eyes open while in Portugal, which some of the correspondents have not done lately.

The newspapers that are accused of having violated the law because they printed pictures of the new coins are all duly penitent, no doubt. But care should be taken lest the public become prejudiced against a Goddess of Liberty who is so exclusive that she doesn't want her picture in the newspapers.

New York's anxiety about her water supply might have furnished the Chicago paragrapher with a brilliant opening for his wit if there had not been so much genuine seriousness in the situation.

Secretary Foster is unmistakable and frank in any position he assumes. His attitude in Ohio politics was taken promptly and squarely, and with a vigorous emphasis that cannot fail

The Boston people who are laboring with storekeepers to have them sell no cigarettes to girls should also labor some with the girls

to persuade them not to buy them.

The "original rain-maker" has turned up-a trifle prematurely in view of the fact that made rain is not yet among the established

Among various things nobody wants Philapelphia has a diphtheria epidemic. The dig-

nified old city is having considerably more than her share of the embarrassments of life. The situation in Europe is one of sensations

averment one day, succeeded the next by stout The London scandal has been crowded out

of the news field by the South American revo-There is a delightful prospect of having the affair with Chile settled without a single ulti-

Ex-Governor Foraker can console himself

with the reflection that no man can be great and not make enemies. The President's duck shooting trip will re- Otall descriptions, to suit all styles of trimming. same its customary place in public attention. Largest stock of fine goods in the city.

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In view of the fact that many of our patrons were disappointed in getting one or more of the Fur Rugs advertised during our Special Sale at \$2.35, we beg to announce that we have received another invoice of them and will continue to sell them this week at the reduced price. White, Black and Gray Japanese Fur Rugs, large size only \$2.35. Regular price, \$3 and \$3.50. We shall also offer a few more "odds and ends" of John Bromley & Son's Smyrna Size 2 feet 2 inches by 4 feet 6 inches re-

duced to \$2.45. Size 2 feet 6 inches by 5 feet reduced to \$2.95. Size 3 feet by 6 feet reduced to \$4.95. Size 4 feet by 7 feet reduced to \$7.25.

We shall also close out a small lot of the best quality Felt Druggets; Size 3 by 3 yards, reduced to \$4.75. Size 3 by 3% yards, reduced to \$5.25.

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We shall also close out the balance of our stock of best quality All-wool Art Squares at the following reduced prices: 3 yards by 2% yards, only 86. 3 yards : y 3 yards, only \$7.25. 3 yards by 3% yards, only \$8.50. 3 yards by 4 yards, only \$9.75. 3 by 4% yards, only \$10.75, 3 by 5 yards, only \$12 each. 4 by 5 yards, only \$16 each.

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Size 3 yards by 3 yards, only \$12. Size 3 by 3 % yards, only \$13.50. Size 3 by 4 yards, only \$15.50. Size 3 by 44 yards, only \$15.05.
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(Blanket Dept., Sd floor, 11th st. bldg.)

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An elegant assortment of POWDER PUFFS, from 15 to 38c.

PUFF BOXES, in China. Glass, Oxidized Silver and Celluioid, from Loc. to \$1.98.

Those of you that cannot come in person can communicate with us through our extensive Maii Order Department. We solicit correspondence on all matters of this kind and invite mail orders. Our word for it, you won't regret ordering by mail. Weguarantee your purchase.

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We skip Underwear and Hosiery to-day. The weather permitting both these departments will undoubtedly be alive with buyers.

DRESS TRIMMINGS REDUCED.

To put a little more life in the de-mand for Dress Trimmings we have lowered the prices on two lines of Ociental Passementeries in attractive irridescent effects, in light colorings, for trimming Reception and Evening 1 inch wide reduced from 68 to 48 cents per yard.

2 inches wide reduced from \$2 to
\$1.19.

Fur Edgings and Bands in beaver, marten, lynx, mouffion, astrakhan, gray krimmer, coney, nutris, black bear, seal, opossum, akunk, fox, squirrel, blue bear, &c. Lowest prices possible to name.

FUR TRIMMINGS.

OSTRICE BANDS.

We have just opened a line of ex-quisite Getrich Feather Bands in Cream, Pink, Light Bine and Black for Evening Dresses and Opera Bobes, 1 yard each, only \$1.48.

THE BON MARCHE.

314 AND 316 TH STREET M.W.

Mas. F. A. Balley,
Agent for "Orange B.ossom," &c.,
229 P St. z. V. no12-1m"

A HANDRERCHIEF "OPENING." SOUVENIRS OF THE OCCASION.

down with thousands of dozens of Handkerchiefs

Such a collection of rare and choice lace, mousselaine

de soie, silk and hand-embroidered linen novelties were never before gathered under one roof—not in the

District of Columbia. Among the novelties for chil-

dren are boxes containing six Handkerchiefs ; picture on

the lid shows the youngster asleep in bed, but hold the

box up to the light and you see Kris Kringle, of whom

the child is dreaming. Tomorrow's "Opening" occa-

sion shall not terminate without a souvenir for the

ladies that will be equally appreciated. We will offer:

HANDKERCHIEFS,

COMPRISING THIRTY-SIX STYLES

25c. quality handkerchiefs.

Two for 25 CENTS.

BP These Handkerchiefs are White lawn, with the

very latest style of embroidery, &c. Not more than

4-button Dressed Kid Gloves at 79c. pair, like those

tried on and warranted and sold at \$1.25 pair. Black

Undressed Kid Mousquetaires, 8, 12 and 16-

button lengths, at 97c. pair instead of \$1.85,

\$2.25, and \$2.75. Foster Hook Kid Gloves,

25 per cent below prevailing quotations. Undressed

7-hook, at 79c, pair; 5-hook at 68c, pair, which is

Kid Mousquetaires and 4-button Gloves at 50c. pal

THE ONE-DAY BARGAINS.

CURS-Russian hare, French lynx and coney trim-

PIBBONS, &c.-The 5-inch Ombre Satin Ribbon

trich Feathers marked 58c. for 49c. bunch.

narked 56c. for 49c. yard. The price of Wales Os-

OVERS .- The Chenille Table Covers marked 83c.

tor 74 cents. Those 1% yards square, with chenille

TEWELRY. - The New Aluminum Thimbles at 12c.

instead of 18c. each. The 25c. Sterling Silver Stick Pins for 19c.

STATIONERY.-The Old English Mills Writing

ACES. -The New Black Silk Chantilly Laces, 4 to 8

"HILDREN'S-Babies' Cloaks and Hats, little Chil-

ren's Coats and Hats, ulsters for children from 6 to

14 years, jackets for misses from 12 to 18 years, all

at 19 per cent discount, one-tenth off the price of the

Paper at 15c. instead of 20c. lb.-about 75 sheets.

nches wide, 23c. instead of 25c. yard.

THE SURPRISE OF SURPRISES.

of the season was made in winter fabrics.

Dress Goods at surprise prices have occurred here

and elsewhere during this season, but now comes the

surprise of surprises. The Palais Royal's buyer lately

risited New York to give importation orders for spring

dress fabrics. While there the largest single purchase

9.532 YARDS

ALL-WOOL ENGLISH SUITINGS

. 50C. AND 68C. A YARD

ONLY 39 CENTS A YARD.

The importer closed out the entire balance of his winter fabrics at a price that enables the Palais Royal

to offer at 39c. a yard all-wood suitings in the most ap-

proved designs and shades of stripes, checks, mix-

tures, plaids, &c. We hope our patrons will appreci-

We are anxious to close out these goods almost as quickly and as clearly as did the importer. Christ-

mas is near enough for us to be anxious to have plenty

of room for fancy goods. It was the irresistability of

the bargain that induced our buyer to crowd the

counters at this season. We ask prompt reply to this

advt., and we think thanks are due us for the offer-

Never before has there been offered Black Foule

Serge at 50c. a yard equal to the five pieces here.

Our buyer challenges comparison with the usual 68 or 75c. quality. Full 40 inches wide; contrasted indelible

(Continued below.) THE PALAIS ROTAL

\$1 quality All-silk Creps de Chine for 68c. a yard.

Lovely tints of Light Bine, Pink, Salmon, Leghorn, Yellow, Nile, Lavender, Scarlet, Cardinal, Also Black

and White. Here's a hint for a Christmas present that

Probably you have seen the short, stubby Ostrick

Feather Edging offered around town at \$1.25 a yard.

We hope you have, because we want you to call and ex-

amine what we offer at \$1.35 a yard in Lavender, Red, Pink, Blue, Yellow, Tan, Fawn, Grange, Pescock,

Brown, Wood, Cream and Black. Also the Ostrich Feather Band Trimming at \$1.50a yard. Equally

and \$2.68 a yard. Also a new supply of Ostrich Feather Boas from \$2 to \$35 sach. Coque Feather Cellars 70c., \$1, \$1.50 and \$2; the Boas. 2½ yards long. at \$5, \$6, \$7, \$9.35, \$10.35 and \$14.08 each.

Prices count for little only when coupled with superior qualities. We use attention to the qualities we are now

Lately arrived are the Black Hare Boss, 3 yards long. for \$2; Capes, \$6.08; Muffs, \$1 each. Boss of Thibet

for \$16each, equal to any heretofore sold at \$20. As-truchen Fur Capes at \$35 and Muffs at \$5.35, which

THE PALAIS BOYAL

Black; best quality of pure wool; only 50c. a pard.

STILL ANOTHER BIG SUBPRISE

ANOTHER UNUSUAL SURPRISE

THE PALAIS ROYAL.

THE PALAIS BOYAL.

THE PALAIS BOYAL.

ate the importance of this offering.

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Some New Furs.

NEW FRATHER TRIMMINGS.

OF

garment you select.

ming, at 38c. instead of 50c. yard, Only 80c. yard

The special prices for Wednesday only are:

for the trimmings marked \$1 yard.

fringe, at \$1.98 instead of \$2.25.

Fast Black Socks at 21c., worth 35c. pair.

instead of \$1.

ONE BUNDRED DOZEN

Liars should have a good memory. Fires sometimes occur by design, and some business people make use of the occurrence in such a way that it puts money in their purses. Hence they welcome the recurrence of seemingly unfortunate episodes, which not manifesting themselves as quickly as greed would have it, they tax the incensuity of their usually fertile brains, and from out this wast store house of viliations resources conceive and carry into effect other diabolical schemes, more pernicious perhaps than the original accidental discovery of how to WORK the people.

Greed of gain is a lingering, insidious disease—canter worm, a cancerous sore, eating its way into Very shortly occurs the Palais Royal's annual holilay "Opening." With an eye to the fact that on such casions special attention cannot well be called to any one department we ark your presence tomorrow to an informal "Opening" of Handkerchiefs. Tonight we move to the Christmas quarters; tomorrow you'll find 100 feet of counter and 700 feet of shelving loaded

WILD CAT

canter worm, a cancerous sore, eating its way into stock or barrel, causing crimes to be committed for which there is no real cause, and the perpetrator which there is no real cause, and the perpetrators only awaken to the heniousness of their offense when the Griss Monster knocks—with the awful summons—"This night—thy soul is required of thee." No time for praying, no time for protestations of personal irresponsibility, no time to inaugh, no time to sing, no—time to undo that which has been done—the inex—orable summons brooks no delay, adds not a single—breath. It says, with the awfulness of eternity, COME:

Schemes seem to be the order of the day, with results somewhat slarming. You may play upon the
credulities of a people for a time, but be careful not
to exasperate them. The greedy, grasping, gangreene do not wait to consider the effect of their
damnable doings they simply "go it" blindfold,
as it were, and when the clouds of their own makten burst find them their mannered to consider

the results.

Liare should have a good memory. Fires some

COME!

If you have lived a life of uprightness, pure and holy, the summons will have no terrors for you;
 but, on the other hand, if your life has been that
 of a trickster, a triffer, a worshiper of Mammon, a crawling, creeping thing, with no higher aim than the accumulation of the dross of the earth, your crincing and fawning and pleading will breed only contempt in the hearts and minds of true

Men, and you will feel that you're not only doomed

but damned. Then be A Man; have done with

TRICKERY, TREACHERY and TREASON.

BE A MAN

And sell your goods at a fair and reasonable figure so that you can look every man squarely in the face and say: I did unto you as I would that every one should do unto me. That's the ticket which will pass us through this world and purchase an entry into the other without protest. Believing this and acting in accordance therewith we mak Following price list:
BLACK CHEVIOT OVERCOATS, STRICTLY ALL,
WOOL, \$7.50.
ALL WOOL MELTON OVERCOATS, HEAVY, \$6.
STORM OVERCOATS, \$5.75, \$6.75, \$7.50, \$11.75,

The Glove and Hosiery Sale at the Palais Royal is talked of by merchants in New York. So say our buyers who have just returned.

Even merchants are wondering at these prices: 35 cents or 3 pairs for \$1 for 50c. Quality Ladies' Fast Black Lisle Hose, ribbed and plain. Novelty Hose at 40 cents instead of \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a pair. Men's Fast Black Socks at 21c., worth 35c. pair.

VICTOR E. ADLER'S CORNER MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE OPEN SATURDAY UNTIL 11 P.M.

Within a fortnight you will be deallishment across the way. We shall then have much to say about tasty and charming articles we shall present for your Christmas shopping. But before those bustling times arrive we wish to close out a large portion of our present stock—goods we do not intend to carry with us to the new quarters. In order to sell them at once we have cut their prices 20 per cent and more. Here they are: Sponges, Chamois, Tooth Brushes, Flesh Brushes, Soaps, Fancy Bottles,

FANCY BOTTLES REDUCED.

Trim one of these with a tasty bit of ribbon and fill it with some fragrant perfume and you have a most pleasing and useful gift at a slight cost. Here is the list of reductions in Fancy Bottles: The usual 15 and 18-cent bottles for I Cents.
The usual 20-cent bottles for 14 cents.

The usual 30-cent bettles for 19 cents. The usual 35-cent bettles for 25 cents. The usual 50-cent bettles for 38 cents.

SOAPS AT HALF PRICE. Nothing so much affects your completion as Soap. If you use a bad article 2 will surely give your skin a rough or sal Soap always means a complexion bright and clear and a skin soft and fair. These

we can recommend as being of the purest make, but having only a few boxes left we propose to close them out at exactly half price.

Small lot of French Soaps, in different makes and odors; regular price, 25 cents. Reduced to 13 cents, or two cakes for the former price of one; two cakes for 25

5 dozen Cornell's Bensoin Soap, ex-

97

In two days-that's what we sold out of ou

Cor. 11th and F sts. p. w.

400 Sample Jackets which were placed on sale Manday. Had the weather been cold and anappy

50 more would be missing from the assortment. It is an unboard-of bargain, which cannot be duplisted Just think of the price. \$8.98

For a fine tailor-made parment of this season's man-facture that originally was made to sell FROM \$12 To \$25. Our regular line of Ladies' and Misses' Wraps we so

when \$1 quality may be had for 68 cents a yard how ong will the supply equal the demand? We have but

G Ladies' Black and Navy Blue Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inches iong \$2.65 eq. (Chinchilla Diagonal Double-breased Reefer, 28 inche Do You Wish to get a Child's or Misses' Gossamer? We have

fancy check, at..... Brown, Wood, Cream and Black. Also the Ostrich Feether Band Trimming at \$1.50 a yard. Equally superior are our Coque Feather Edgings at 50, 68, 75c. and \$1 a yard, and Bands at \$1, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.85

That is the last of this lot. IF YOU ARE BENT ON SHOPPING YOU WILL NEVER GET GREATER VALUES THAN WE ARE OFFERING.

truchan Fur Capes at \$33 and Mulls at \$2.50. White Above Specimens shown cutside of New York.

White Above Fur Trimming at 65c., 65c. and \$1 a yard that is obviously superior.

DOD PENNSYLVANA AVE. N.W. LEADER OF LOW PRICES.

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